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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I think it's time that the government gets it's hand out of the working man's pocket. We are currently buried in "this government fee" and "that government fee". You are going to legislate Free Enterprise right out of existence with these tactics. Enough is enough. These never-ending types of fees represent "taxation" anyway you look at it. Maybe if ways were found to cut spending, these types of compounded charges would not be needed. In the long run these various added fees never seem to quite be enough anyway. Please stop.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members